### THE EVENING CRITIC

AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT STUMMER THEATRE COMIQUE - Variety DRIVER'S SUMMER GARDEN - Concert ARNER'S SUMMER GARDEN - Concert.

For the Middle Atlantic States, warmer, parity cloudy weather, occasional light rains, northeast veering to southeast winds, lower

Special Weather Bulletin.

The special bulletin issued from the Signal Office to-day says: Warmer, partly cloudy weather and local rains are indicated for Friday for the lower lake region and Middle States. Fair weather is indicated for the Gulf States, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Wisconsin and Illinois.

The Critic in Georgetown.

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### PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS

About People and Things in Washington. THE COMIQUE offers a good bill every

DRIVER has new attractions this week at

his summer garden concerts.

STREET LAMPS will be lighted at 7:15 p.

m, and extinguished at 1:30 a. m. THE thermometer to-day registered 74° at 9:30 a. m., and 76° at 10:30 a. m.

AT ARNER'S a superior orchestra supplies exquisite music nightly to scores of

FORTY-EIGHT arrests were made by the police during the twenty-four hours ending at 8 a. m. ROBERT BARKER and Wm. McGill were

fined \$1 each by Judge Bundy to-day, throwing stones. CATHERINE DENTZ, of Georgetown, had to fork over \$105 or give bonds, for selling whisky by the small in the Police Court to-

day.

THE numerous friends of Mrs. Eils will be glad to learn that she has recovered from her serious injuries, and is enabled to leave

her bed.

CHARLES GREEN white, was up in the Police Court, charged with keeping an unlicensed bar in the First Ward, and was fined \$105.

THE ALARM OF FIRE from box 314 at 3 p. m. was caused by a tar pot boiling over at Littlefield's tar works. The damage did not exceed \$2.

ROSE KENNY, the unfortunate colored child who was burned to death in her pa-rents' yard some days ago, was buried at Payne's Cemetery last night. EUGENE PIERCE, white, was charged in

the Police Court to-day with raising a terrible racket in the "Division" last night, and was fined \$5 or 15 days.

MARY WALKER, a small colored girl, was charged in the Police Court to-day with stealing a lace collar from Jenny Reader, and was sent down for ten days.

Tom Johnson, a colored boy, was before Judge Bundy to-day, charged with a second offense of larceny, in stealing a revolver from Arthur Jackson. Grand jury.

Thos, Alberton, a well-dressed young white man, was brought before Judge Bundy for vagrancy, and was required to give bonds or go to the work-house for 30 days.

A TEAM belonging to Johnson Brothers ran away on D street to-day and collided with Shaffield's mineral water wagon, breaking the axle and shafts of the latter.

THE HEALTH OFFICER should order the old matting on the floor of the Police Court room to be taken up. It is filthy and odorous of tobacco spittle, and as people are compelled to attend the court, the Health Officer should protect them.

JAMES NOBLE JENKINS was before Judge Bandy this afternoon on a charge of assaulting Bob Turner, by stabbing him in the back while engaged in a fight at the corner of Fourteenth and D streets. He was fined \$10 or thirty days.

AT 6 o'clock last evening fire was dis-covered under the school-house near the Soldiers' Home, and extinguished by neigh-bors. At 8 o'clock the building was again fired in another portion, and extinguished by the police. There is no doubt that the fires were started both times by an in-

cendiary.

A PARTY of five young men engaged in an affray on Pennsylvania avenue southeast, a few days ago. To-day John O'Neal and George Simmons, who were arrested yesterday, were arraigned in the Police Court, when O'Neal forfeited his collateral, and Simmons was fined \$10 and

THE PRIMITIVE BAPTISTS from Loudoun. Prince William, Fauquier and Alexandria Counties, Va., and from Georgetown and Washington, D. C., commenced at New Bal-timore, Va., yesterday what is known as a corresponding meeting. The attendance

BESSIE STAPLES, aged five years, was accidentally shot at Shiloh, King George County, Va., last Wednesday, by Henry Luzby, a ten-year-old Washington boy, who was visiting there. Master Luzby took up a gun to shoot a dog, and it went off, the load of shot lodging in the girl's arms, neck and face.

### District Government Notes.

J. B. Brown and Daniel Carter, two produce dealers, were licensed to-day.

One thousand one hundred and seventy three dog-tags have been issued by the Tax

Collector,

—C. F. Willett will build a two-story brick stable at Fifteenth and L streets, to

—A request that produce-raisers be allowed to stand at the butchers' market in Georgetown has been received by the Com--A number of builders and contractors

were engaged to-day in revising the esti-mate of the cost of the four proposed school buildings in the county and in the Second C. W. Anderson has been notified that

the frame building creeted by him at New Jersey avenue and C street is in violation of the building regulations and must be removed within thirty days. The extra wagon and attendants added to the Poundmaster's force have been in operation for the past three days, and have had the desired effect of greatly increasing the efficiency of the force. From thirty to fifty canines have been impounded daily.

-The Harbor Master reports the arrival yesternay of the following schooners: W. H. Kenzell, L. B. Horne, Morris Child, G. M. Adams, Thomas Hyde, E. R. Dyer and Queen Ann, carrying coal, wood, ice and

guano.

The complaints of a deficient water - The companies of a dendent water supply are coming from all directions. A letter from E. C. Kirkwood, received by the Commissioners to-day, states that a million dollars worth of property on Capitol Hill is so much injured by lack of water that it is rendered almost worthless.

want their money."

—A petition was received by the Commissioners to-day, with the signatures of forty-one property holders, asking for the construction of a sewer-drop, by which the filth from the alley in square 797, which now runs out into Third street, can be carried off into the Third-street sewer, so as to prevent the unhealthy odors now arising.

We will give them the land, and we do not want their money."

This speech caused quite a sensation among the visitors and was warmly commonded by Secretary Kirkwood.

White Cloud told the Secretary to send out his agent and locate the Poneas wherever he chose and give them the property and report to them when he had done so, They will probably select their own property.

Dr. E. L. Pattingill, a prominent physician of Hancock, west of Port Jervis, N. in his judgment the Government had done wrong in ever taking that property from the Poncas, and, he felt assured, would do the right thing by them.

OUR RED BRETHREN.

Indian Delegations at the White House-Talks With Secretary Kirk-wood and Commissioner Price-The Winnebagos Decline to Sur-render their Land.

The Winnebago delegation called upon secretary Kirkwood this morning at 10 Secretary Kirkwood this morning at 10 o'clock, to answer his proposition made to them and to the Omahas and Sioux, to part with some of their land for the Poncas, Sonator Dawes, Mr. Wm. Stickney and Commissioner of Indian Affairs Price participated in the pow-wow.

The Indians were represented by Captain Payer, a very intelligent, well-educated Indiau, who speaks English with perfect fluency. He said that his people could not afford to part with any of their land.

"But what will the Poncas do?" asked Secretary Kirkwood. "They are of your race, and must be cared for."

"They can get land from the Sioux," replied Payer.

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"Are the Sionx a better natured people than the Winnebagos?" questioned the

than the Winnebagos? questioned the Secretary.

"Yes, I reckon they are," answered the Indian, laughing. "Moreover, they have millions more of acres of land than we."

The Sioux have 31,450,000 acres of territory. The Winnebagos and Omahas combined have only 310,000 acres.

The Indian chief then gave some very interesting details of the condition of his people.

sel, Mr. W. A. Cook for the Government and there's in common has about died out, and shellabarger & Wilson and Judge cupps for the accused, were engaged during property, real and personal.

Commissioner Price then asked the chief some very plain, direct questions.

"I want to know one thing," he said; are your people; to take care of yourselves; to be solf-sustaining and not to expect us to carry to you the necessities of life;"

"I think that the majority of our people are so disposed," was the answer.

"Well, I'm very glad of it. That is the only solution of the Indian problem," said the Commissioner. "You must eventually come to it, and the sooner the better. We will give you at a couple of horses, wagon, six or seven cattle, farming implements, and even more, if you will turn in and act like in mit. There are two million white people in this country who would Jump at such a chance. As I have said, you must do it eventually. We will give you and the other Indians the start, and then you can be like us and lookont for yourselves."

Secretary Kirkwoof, before the Indians left, impressed upon them the absolute necessity of learning the English language. As it is, but few can speak it and the rising generation do not care to learn it, and to make matters more complicated the language of all the Indian tribes is entirely different, none being able to converse with the ther.

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The reason that they preferred to have their children educated away from home and among the whites was that by so doing they would advance more rapidly in civilization. They don't want the Poneas among them, however. They are willing to sell fifty thousand acres of their land, but only to white settlers. They estimate its value at from \$6 to \$7 per acre. They seem to be rather suspicious of the white people and of the Government, and are worried about the title to their property.

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"My Great Father and Other Great FATHERS AND OTHER FRIENDS: You have speken to me on two matters—about the land and about work. We are satisfied to do land and about work. We are satisfied to do as the white men do to till the soil. We want to keep our land; we love our land. We want you to give us a deed for it. Then we will aot be apprehensive that the Great Father will take it away from us. We have no patents for it, merely certificates."

Commissioner Price explained to them, however, that they had an inalienable right to the land. He told them to call tomorrow or next day, as they desire a long

morrow or next day, as they desire a long consultation with the Interior Department. The Generous Sioux.

The largest delegation of Indians visiting

have prayed us to give them land; we have answered yes. That is our decision. Now we wish you to do your part and furnish these poor people means by which they can live. My friend, that is the decision of our

"How much land will you spare for this portion of the Ponca tribe?" asked Secre-

When asked if they expected the Gov-ernment to give them anything in return for this land which they gave up to the Poneas, they said that wasn't what they

wanted.

"You told us yesterday, my friend, that I should have pity upon the Poncas," said White Thunder. "Pity is not pity when; it is mercenary. We have pity on them we will give them the land, and we do not want their meant."

The Ponens.

Standing Bear, Smoke-Maker, Thunder Hawk and Buffalo Chips, representing the Poneas, arrived at the Interior Department at 1:30. There were present, in addition to their own interpreter, the interpreter of the Sioux, in order that no mistake would be made in informing them of the conclusions to which the Department had arrived in its consultation with the latter tribe. A party of Quakers entered the room for a little while, but left before the interview began. Secretary Kirkwood informed them of the nature of the consultations with the Winnebagos, Omahas and Sioux, and told them that when Congress meets he and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs would ask that body to give to them individually patents to the head of each family for 640 acres of land, so that there would be no trouble about it in the future. This they will receive in addition to the money already appropriated for them.

The Poneas were very much gratified and expressed their gratification by earnest grunts.

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To-morrow morning the Sioux and Pon-cas will meet together at the Interior De-partment and arrange in writing all details. The Sioux, who had formerly been at war with the Poncas, are very kindly disposed to them now, and the Poncas reciprocate it and will live in friendship with them.

### \$40,000.

They live principally in houses, many of which are brick; have a first-class school and Sunday-school, over which Rev. Mr. Martin presides. The tribe is almost entirely of the Presbyterian faith. They are, as a rule, strictly tectotalers. All of their mechanical work is done by full-blooded Indians. They very rarely steal from each other, and the old system of owning cattle and horses in common has about died out, each man being the individual owner of his property, real and personal.

Commissioner Price then asked the chief Commissioner Capt. Henry W. Howgate, held by the marshal under a warrant charging him with embezzlement. The respective countage of the marshal under a warrant charging him with embezzlement. The respective countage of the marshal under a warrant charging him with embezzlement. The respective countage of the marshal under a warrant charging him with embezzlement. The respective countage of the marshal under a warrant charging him with embezzlement. The respective countage of the marshal under a warrant charging him with embezzlement. The respective countage of the marshal under a warrant charging him with embezzlement. The respective countage of the marshal under a warrant charging him with embezzlement. The respective countage of the marshal under a warrant charging him with embezzlement. The respective countage of the marshal under a warrant charging him with embezzlement. The respective countage of the marshal under a warrant charging him

Col. Cook contended that in this case there had been a grave violation of an important trust, and the bond should be sufficient to ranke the interests of the Government safe. The accused is a man of wealth, and the bail cannot be excessive if he is fully able to give it. The principle of bail is that it should be in reference to the crime charged, and then as to the capacity of the accused to give it.

Commissioner Bundy read the section of the Revised Statutes under which the accused is held, and he said he had thought on the subject and he would fix the bail according to what would be the term of imprison-

Extension of Telegraph Lines.

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The Mutual Union Telegraph Company is said to be completing its lines at the rate of 500 miles a month, and already over 10,000 miles of wire have been strung. The old line between Boston and Washington has been fully equipped. It passes through Providence, Hartford, New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore, with connections from the main line to Newport, Springfield, Newark and Wilmington. The extension of the company's lines between New York and Chicago, by way of Albany, Buffalo, Cleveland, Toledo and Detroit, will be opened for business early in October. Another line will connect Boston with Albany by way of Springfield. A southerly line The Generous Sioux.

The largest delegation of Indians visiting the Interior Department to-day was the Sioux. The number present was twenty-five, headed by Red Cloud and White Thunder, the successor of Spotted Tail. They represented the following agencies: Piue Ridge, Spotted Tail, Standing Rock and Crow Creek. The Cheyenne agency was not represented. Great interest was taken in this interview, and the room was crowded. Among those present was Secretary Hunt, of the navy, and wife. Thunder Cloud was the spokesman. He said:

"Yesterday we heard what you said. We have considered it. To-day you will hear our decision. All of the people whom you call Sioux have grown up on these prairies with the bow. We are all one tribe; all friends, one, to the other. And now we who are here are the representatives of this entire Sioux tribe, and the decision that we have arrived at regarding the Poneas will affect our entire tribe. I will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will affect our entire tribe. I will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will affect our entire tribe. I will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will affect our entire tribe. I will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will affect our entire tribe. I will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will affect our entire tribe. I will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will affect our entire tribe. I will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will affect our entire tribe. I will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will tell you frankly our views: These people, the Poneas will the people will

Vesterday evening Mr. and Mrs. S. Heller celebrated at their residence, 525 Sixth street, their silver wedding. Their handsome parlors were thronged with friends, extending their congratulations and expressions of kindness on the joyful occasion. A magnificent repast was largely partaken of, Messrs. Hinke & Budd being the caterers of the evening.

portion of the Ponca tribe?" asked Secretary Kirkwood.

White Cloud responded: "My friend, what I mean is this. We take them in as our friends, so that they may live among us, and what is ours is theirs. Let them live as Sioux among us. We will adopt them. I am an Indian; these technicalities about the rights of land I know nothing about. I mean that these Poncas can live upon our land."

"The Poncas are accustomed to farming. Are you willing to allow them to settle on any particular portion of your territory—say, for instance, the portion they formerly had?" asked the Secretary.

"Yes," replied the Indian, "that's what I meant. Let them have the same rights as we have."

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### Transfers of Real Estate.

Deeds were filed to day as follows: Nicholas McNelly, to Martha A. McNelly all of his interest in part of lot 27, in square 977, \$3,000. Mary E. Browning and husband to Geo. F. Pyles, lot of ground recorded in liber W. B. No. 115, folios 439, 440 and 441 \$200. James L. Barbert

recorded in liber W. B. No. 115, folios 439, 440 and 441, \$200. James L. Barbour, trustee, and Theodore Meyer, to Kate L. Smith, lots 68, 69 and 70, square 441, \$1,123.

A. L. Boneware and Wm. A. Gordon, trustees to Maurice J. Adler, part lot 10 and lot 11, in sub. of "Nichols Place," \$1,193. A. L. Boneware and Wm. A. Gordon to Julia B. Tenney, lots 33 and 34, sub. of "Nichols Place," \$1,150.

W. W. LEWIS, T. Harrison, George W.

George and wife, of Washington, and K. S. Nelson, of Alexandria, Va., were registered in Baltimore yesterday. —George Murkey, a well-known farmer, residing near York, Pa., committed suicide Tuesday by hanging himself in his barn.

### SOME IMPROVEMENT.

[Continued from First Page.]

2:30 P. M. The inflammation in the President's neck is not causing great annoyance to the pa-tient, and he continues to do well in other

No Pymmia Indicated.

At 2:20 p. m. Dr. Bliss' attention was called to the rumors affoat that the inflamreation of the President's parotid gland was an evidence of pyamia. "It is strange," said the Doctor, "when pyamia is such a specific disease, and its symptoms so marked, that we have been able to discover no indications of it, and yet people say the President has it."

dent has it."

"This inflammation is nothing unusual in cases where patients become greatly debili-tated. I have seen it many times in cases of gun-shot wounds."
"It is not pysemia, then?"
"Oh, no."

"Then it does not indicate some low fever, typhoid or otherwise?" "No; we do not look upon it as in any

Mr. Blaine to Minister Lowell. The following was sent this afternoon: At 2 o'clock p. m., the President shows a slight improvement in his power to retain and digest food, but his general condition

and digest food, but is not strongly reassuring.

BLAINE, Sceretary.

### ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS.

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The pleasant weather continues, the thermometer registering 76° to-day.

The work of repairing Royal street, between King and Cameron streets, will be completed in two weeks.

Great inconvenience is caused, both in this city and Washington, by there being only one ferryboat on the line, and no regular time for leaving or arriving.

Charles Sing, the Chinaman who married a Miss Wilburn, of this city, about four years ago, is visiting his wife's relatives here. He is said to be a very wealthy miner.

Richard Philips and Clarence Wheat were arrested by Officer Hoys this morning while fighting at the Alexandria Ferry wharf. They were before the mayor, and the case was continued until to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock. They are both respectable citizens.

zens.

As the lower portion of the tan-house run is outside of the city limits, the city cannot be forced to clean it; but as its condition is mainly owing to the fact that the drainage of the city sweep into it, it seems reasonable that it should be cleaned out by the city authorities.

Mayor I. T. Beckham has telegraphed to Major Brock, of Washington, that James T. Burnett, who was arrested in that city on Tuesday for assaulting an ex-constable, and who represented himself as an Alexandria

Tuesday for assaulting an ex-constable, and who represented himself as an Alexandria detective, is no detective and is not connected in any way with the police force of this city. Burnett has recently been re-leased from jail here, where he served a term of six months for assaulting his step-

#### FINANCIAL.

Mr. Wilson said that the fact that Gen.
Hazen had made the information should have no effect on the fixing of bail. He suggested that the minimum sum named (\$5,000) would be ample to secure the attendance of the accused, and that was all that was required.

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### Marriage Licenses.

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Marriage licenses have been issued to Jerry Smith and Mary Williams, Alexander Smith, city, and Louisa Baker, Alexandria County, Va.: William Shields, Georgetown, D. C., and Catharine Hennison, Montgomery County, Md.: Charles H. Voss and Frances E. Ryder, Daniel O'Leary, city, and Margaret A. Allen, Alexandria County, Va.; Gustave B. Wright and Bertie Rogers, Fairfax County, Va.: Frank Watson and Lucy fax County, Va.; Frank Watson and Lucy

COL. CORBIN has written to Col. F. A. Reed, of Alexandria, requesting him to send a list of all the orders of Masons who will attend the Yorktown Celebration, in order to publish the same in the Congressional

PRESIDENT WHITE telegraphs from Berlin that he has secured Dr. Edward Augustus Freeman, the distinguished English historian, as a non-resident professor for Cornell University.

-James Wilson and Miss Davidson were —James Wilson and Miss Davidson were rowing in a small boat on the bay at Hamil-ton, Ont., Tuesday night, when the boat was run down by the steamer Algerian. Wilson was drowned and Miss Davidson rescued in an insensible condition. She will recover.

—In the case of Mamie Harris, a white girl, on trial for the murder of Ruth Gwyn, a negro woman at Dry Bridge, near Danville, Va., last month, the jury yesterday afternoon returned a verdict of not guilty, and the prisoner was discharged. The body of a young man was found in the bay opposite Fire Island Light, L. I., Tuesday night, and taken to Babylon. It was not identified.

—Dennis McMahon, aged 9 years, of Ho-boken, N. J., drank a pint of whisky yes-terday and died almost immediately after.

### THE WRETCH GUITEAU.

Further of His Attack on the Guard
—What is Said at the Jail. -What is Said at the Jail.

Gen. Crocker will not leave a single thing undone to bring out all the facts connected with Guitean's attack on Jailer McGill. The theory put forth by The Critic yesterday, that the instrument with which Guitean attacked McGill had been hidden away in a crevice in the wall of the cell by a former occupant of Guiteau's quarters, is pretty generally credited by the jail officials. But, as Gen. Crocker says, it might possibly have been concealed under one of the slats of Guiteau's cot.

The Wenpou.

The Wenpon, The Wenpon,
as stated in yesterday's CRITIC, was about
four inches in length. A piece of paper
was tied around one end of it. It was very
duil, and did not look as though it had been
recently used. General Crocker is of the
opinion that Guiteau's restlessness the
night before the attack was occasioned by
the conviction that the President was dead.
Even before the appearance of the additional soldiers at the jail, the prisoner manifested the

ifested the Most Intense Uneasiness,

and when the soldiers arrived he would come every five or ten minutes to his win-dow and look out at their movements. McGill, who is seen but little by Guiteau, it is thought, in making his rounds, startled the wretch, and he thinking an attack was the wretch, and he thinking an attack was to be made upon him resolved to fight. It is McGill's custom at night to go through all the corridors of the jail and see that the prisoners are not engaged in mischief. This he did early yesterday morning, and finding Guiteau sitting on the side of his bed, and thinking something wrong in his movements, spoke sharply to him, and asked him what he was doing. This aroused the prisoner, and jumping to his feet he rushed spasmodically at the jailer. When questioned as to

Why He Attacked the Guard. Guiteau said he had no business in his

Guiteau said he had no business in his cell at that hour of the morning, and he only intended to put him out.

The army officers on duty at the jail and the jail officials all acknowledge The CRITIC's enterprise in first publishing the news of the attack, and are not slow to give credit. They are unanimous in saying that the account was wholly true.

Guiteau is even more fond of writing now than he was when first put in jail. He frequently asks the warden for pens and paper, and whiles away the time writing letters. These letters are all taken in charge by the warden, and for the most part treat of the assassination. In nearly every one of them he says that he believed when he shot the President he was simply carrying out God's will. The tone of some of the letters would indicate that he thought the President was dead.

Guiteau Well Secured. Still Writing Letters.

Guitean Well Secured. At present thirty soldiers are doing duty in the jail, with a picket stationed during the day on the hillside near by. At night three pickets guard the outside of the jail. In view of the fact that the most careful watch was been control to the property of the fact that the most careful watch was been control. watch was kept over the prisoner previous to the attack on the guard, it is not deemed necessary to adopt any other precantionary measures, such as confining him in a dun-geon or putting him in chains. Guiteau is seen every minute in the day and night by some one of his guards, and hence it is un-necessary to use any additional means to

secure him.

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The Republican this morning says:
"In regard to the denial of there being any knife by Warden Crocker, Mr. McGill said last night that he could not understand why any such statement should be made by the warden. There was a knife in Guiteau's the warden. There was a knife in Guiteau's hand, and his coat was cnt. The knife was picked up and was seen by over a dozen people who could testify to that effect. The knife was described to be a "cheeser," as stated above. Warden Crocker said last evening that he was perhaps hasty in making his first statement; that he had not investigated the matter thoroughly, and that since the visit of the reporters at noon he had found out that Guiteau did have a knife, but that he had been unable to account for the manner in which he obtained it. The statement that the warfor the manner in which he obtained it. The statement that the warden made his denial as to the knife being found without having made an investigation of the case can hardly be maintained, as after his arrival at the jail the warden passed into the prison, and was gone at least ten minutes before he returned and made the statement published in the Republican, which was a stenographic report of his utterance. The reasonable theory is that there had been carelessness on the part of there had been carelessness on the part of some of the jail officials in allowing the assassin to obtain a knife, and that the first assassin to obtain a knife, and that the first thought of the warden was to deny the knife story, in the hope that the officer who was attacked had made no personal statement. The Major of Pelice placed himself in a very ridiculous position by continuing to deny that there had been any trouble at the jail even after he should have been in possession of all the facts.

Current Rumors in Wall Street. Special Dispatch to THE EVENING CRITIC:

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—The news from
Saratoga is that nothing will probably be
accomplished in the direction of settling the trunk line quarrels this week, and the feeling there was generally bearish on the

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Agreat many stocks were sold on Saratoga orders yesterday.
Gould and Vanderbilt continue on very friendly relations, but the former was expected to return there to-day. Mr. Gould's friends say he has very little confidence in the President's recovery.

Vanderbilt's friends say he talks increased passenger business. Mr. Keene was at the West End Hotel last night, and was very hearish in his expressions on the very bearish in his expressions on the general market. He declared that Denver & Rio Grande was not worth half it was selling for, and that the road had been bonded for double its cost. There was a story in circulation last night that the Woerishoffer party had sold out their Denver & Rio Grande

Chas. J. Osborne declared himself a bear on the market for ten per cent. and thought Denver would sell down to 75. Some of the more conservative traders were looking for

a better market to-day, provided the Presi-dent's health continues to mend.

The First National Bank people say that the money has all gone into the Sub-treas-ury for customs, and it is not likely to be ury for customs, and it is not likely to be returned to circulation right away unless the Secretary buy bonds. Some small lots of money were wanted after 3p. m. yesterday at one-sixteenth premium, and six months' loans were up to 6 per cent.

The principal bull party here in corn has sold out, and the larger German operators have unloaded in Chicago.

Western advices this morning give the details of gigantic plans for enlarging the Union Pacific Railway system, numerous branches being under construction in Colorado and the mining districts.

The Chicago & R. I. July carnings increased \$165,000, and the increase the first week in August was \$91,000, since which time the gain has averaged \$14,000 per day.

day.

A prominent Reading Railroad official from Philadelphia says the Reading Comdany is making \$1,000,000 per month net, and that coal prices will be advanced on September 1.

Mesers. Seligman & Co. say that the advanced rates by the Bank of England will not entirely stop the shipment of gold this way.

way.

A great many "call" loans have been called in this morning and six per cent. is the rate at all the banks to-day.

Love may turn to hate-after the ice

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